

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Monen. Before introducing the next speaker, I would like to point out that Senator LaVon Crosby has 75 fifth graders who are guests of hers from Calvert Elementary School in Lincoln and their teacher is Nancy Pepperl. We...within that group is Kevin Pepperl, who I became acquainted with a couple years ago at a conference. His mother is Joanne Pepperl. We also have Carly Morford and her aunt is Patty Wade who works in Senator Doug Kristensen's office. Let's welcome all of them, please. Senator Hillman.

SENATOR HILLMAN: Question.

SPEAKER WITHEM: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Debate has ceased. Senator Hall, you are recognized to close.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. President, and members, I rise in support of the motion to return the bill to Select File. The purpose of returning the bill to Select File will be to adopt a specific amendment that will be in front of us once the bill is back on Select File. I know it's a technical maneuver. It's within the rules. It's one that I use and I think it's clearly proper. It clearly was correctly ruled on by the Chair and I support that measure. Whether it's one that may bring us down the road into another issue is irrelevant to me, at this point, because what we're talking about here, I believe, probably is something that would justify suspending the rules and almost breaking the rules, because we are talking about the health and welfare of our young people in the work force. We talk about, what do we want kids to learn when they're carrying papers. And I want them to have the same wonderful experience that Senator Robinson had when he went to the local store. I want them to eat as many chocolate stars as they can. I want them to be healthy. I want them to grow up and understand what business is about. I want them to stop and read the paper. They've got an extra one. I want them to stop and read it on a daily basis because that, as much as anything, will teach them what they need to know to be full adults in the work force and have productive lives. We are not talking here about doing away with